

HOUSE No. 2744

By Ms. Khan of Newton, petition of Kay Khan for legislation to require paper toilet seat covers be available in restrooms accessible to the public. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT REQUIRING PAPER TOILET SEAT COVERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 111 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after section 33 the following section:—
- 3 Section 33A. Each toilet stall that is open to use by the general
- 4 public, visitors to facilities or employees shall have available
- 5 paper toilet seat covers. Containers and seat covers shall be pro-
- 6 vided by the owner or renter of a facility. The commonwealth and
- 7 cities and towns shall provide such covers in any and all buildings
- 8 they own or lease.